

Loons/Grebes/Pelicans

- ☐ Common Loon
- ☐ Pied-billed Grebe
- ☐ Horned Grebe
- ☐ Double-crested Cormorant

Wading Birds/Shorebirds

- ☐ Great Blue Heron
- ☐ Great Egret
- ☐ Green Heron*?
- ☐ American Coot
- ☐ Killdeer*
- ☐ Greater Yellowlegs
- ☐ Lesser Yellowlegs
- ☐ Solitary Sandpiper
- ☐ Spotted Sandpiper
- ☐ Wilson's Snipe
- ☐ American Woodcock*

Waterfowl/Seabirds

- ☐ Snow Goose
- ☐ Canada Goose*
- ☐ Wood Duck
- ☐ American Black Duck
- ☐ Mallard*
- ☐ Green-winged Teal
- ☐ Northern Pintail
- ☐ Blue-winged Teal
- ☐ Northern Shoveler
- ☐ Gadwall
- ☐ American Widgeon
- ☐ Canvasback
- ☐ Redhead
- ☐ Ring-necked Duck
- ☐ Greater Scaup
- ☐ Lesser Scaup
- ☐ Common Goldeneye
- ☐ Bufflehead
- ☐ Hooded Merganser
- ☐ Common Merganser
- ☐ Red-breasted Merganser
- ☐ Ruddy Duck
- ☐ Ring-billed Gull

Starlings/Waxwings

- ☐ European Starling*
- ☐ American Pipit
- ☐ Cedar Waxwing*

W	Sp	Su	F
R	Uc		Uc
Uc	Fc		Fc
Uc	Uc		R
R	Uc	R	Uc

W	Sp	Su	F
Uc	Uc	Uc	Uc
	R	Uc	R
	Uc	Uc	Uc
Uc	Fc		Fc
Uc	Fc	Fc	Fc
	Uc		Uc
	Uc		Uc
	Fc		Fc
Uc	Uc		Uc
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R	Uc	Uc	Uc

W	Sp	Su	F
R	R		R
Uc	Uc	Uc	Uc
R	Uc	Uc	Uc
Uc	Uc		Uc
Fc	Fc	Uc	F
Uc	Uc		Uc
Uc	Uc		Uc
R	Fc	R	Fc
R	Uc		R
Uc	Uc		Uc
Uc	Uc		Uc
R	R		R
Fc	Uc		Uc
Uc	Fc		Fc
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Uc	Fc		Fc
Uc	Uc		Uc
Fc	Fc		Fc
Fc	Fc	R	Fc
R	R		R
Uc	Uc		Uc
R	Uc		Uc
Uc	Uc		Uc

W	Sp	Su	F
A	A	A	A
R	Uc		Uc
Fc	Fc	Fc	Fc

Vultures/Hawks/Eagles/Falcons

- ☐ Black Vulture?
- ☐ Turkey Vulture*?
- ☐ Bald Eagle
- ☐ Northern Harrier
- ☐ Sharp-shinned Hawk*
- ☐ Cooper's Hawk*
- ☐ Northern Goshawk
- ☐ Red-shouldered Hawk
- ☐ Broad-winged Hawk*
- ☐ Red-tailed Hawk*
- ☐ Rough-legged Hawk
- ☐ Golden Eagle
- ☐ American Kestrel?
- ☐ Merlin
- ☐ Peregrine Falcon*

Grouse/Turkeys/Quail

- ☐ Ruffed Grouse*
- ☐ Wild Turkey*
- ☐ Northern Bobwhite *

Doves/Cuckoos

- ☐ Rock pigeon*
- ☐ Mourning Dove*
- ☐ Black-billed Cuckoo*
- ☐ Yellow-billed Cuckoo*

Owls

- ☐ Common Barn Owl
- ☐ Eastern Screech Owl*
- ☐ Great Horned Owl*
- ☐ Barred Owl*

Nightjars/Swifts/Kingfisher

- ☐ Common Nighthawk?
- ☐ Whip-poor-will?
- ☐ Chimney Swift*
- ☐ Belted Kingfisher*

Hummingbirds

- ☐ Ruby-throated Hummingbird*

Woodpeckers

- ☐ Red-headed Woodpecker
- ☐ Red-bellied Woodpecker*
- ☐ Yellow-bellied Sapsucker*
- ☐ Downy Woodpecker*
- ☐ Hairy Woodpecker*
- ☐ Northern Flicker*
- ☐ Pileated Woodpecker*

W	Sp	Su	F
Fc	Fc	Fc	Fc
Cm	Cm	Cm	Cm
R	R	R	R
Uc	Uc		Uc
Uc	Uc	R	Uc
Uc	Uc	Uc	Uc
R	R		R
Uc	Uc	R	Uc
	Cm	Fc	A
Fc	Fc	Fc	Fc
R			R
R	R		R
Fc	Fc	Uc	Fc
R	R		R
?	R		R

W	Sp	Su	F
Uc	Uc	Uc	Uc
Fc	Fc	Fc	Fc
Uc	Uc	Uc	Uc

W	Sp	Su	F
Fc	Fc	Fc	Fc
Cm	Cm	Cm	Cm
	R	R	R
	Fc	Fc	Fc

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Uc	Uc	Uc	Uc
Cm	Cm	Cm	Cm
Fc	Fc	Fc	Fc
Uc	Uc	Uc	Uc

W	Sp	Su	F
	Uc	R	Uc
	Fc	Fc	Fc
	Cm	Fc	Cm
Uc	Uc	Uc	Uc

W	Sp	Su	F
	Fc	Fc	Fc

W	Sp	Su	F
R	R	R	Uc
Cm	Cm	Cm	Cm
Fc	Fc		Fc
Cm	Cm	Cm	Cm
Uc	Uc	Uc	Uc
Uc	Cm	Cm	Cm
Fc	Fc	Fc	Fc

Flycatchers/Vireos

- ☐ Olive-sided Flycatcher
- ☐ Eastern Wood Peewee*
- ☐ Acadian Flycatcher*
- ☐ Willow Flycatcher*
- ☐ Least Flycatcher*
- ☐ Eastern Phoebe*
- ☐ Great Crested Flycatcher*
- ☐ Eastern Kingbird*
- ☐ White-eyed Vireo*
- ☐ Yellow-throated Vireo*
- ☐ Blue-headed Vireo*
- ☐ Warbling Vireo
- ☐ Philadelphia Vireo
- ☐ Red-eyed Vireo*

Jays/Crows/Ravens

- ☐ Blue Jay*
- ☐ American Crow*
- ☐ Fish Crow
- ☐ Common Raven*

Swallows

- ☐ Horned Lark?
- ☐ Purple Martin
- ☐ Tree Swallow*
- ☐ Bank Swallow*
- ☐ Cliff Swallow*
- ☐ Barn Swallow*
- ☐ Northern Rough-winged Swallow*

Chickadees/Titmice

- ☐ Carolina Chickadee*
- ☐ Black-capped Chickadee*
- ☐ Tufted Titmouse*
- ☐ Red-breasted Nuthatch*
- ☐ White-breasted Nuthatch*
- ☐ Brown Creeper*

Wrens/Kinglets/Gnatcatchers

- ☐ Carolina Wren*
- ☐ Bewick's Wren
- ☐ House Wren*
- ☐ Winter Wren*
- ☐ Sedge Wren
- ☐ Marsh Wren
- ☐ Golden-crowned Kinglet*
- ☐ Ruby-crowned Kinglet?
- ☐ Blue-gray Gnatcatcher*

W	Sp	Su	F
	R		R
	Cm	Cm	Cm
	Fc	Fc	Fc
	R	R	R
	R	R	?
Cm	Cm	Cm	Cm
	Uc	Uc	Uc
	Fc	Fc	Fc
	Uc	Uc	Uc
	Fc	Fc	Fc
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	Uc	Uc	Uc
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	Cm	Cm	Cm

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A	A	A	A
R	R	R	R
Fc	Fc	Fc	Fc

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Uc	Uc	Uc	Uc
	Uc	Uc	Uc
	Fc	Uc	Fc
	Uc	Uc	R
	Uc	Uc	R
	Cm	Cm	Cm
	Fc	Fc	Fc

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Cm	Cm	Cm	Cm
Fc	Fc		Fc

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Cm	Cm	Cm	Cm
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R	Fc	Fc	Fc
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	R		R
Fc	Fc		Fc
Uc	Fc		Fc
Fc	Fc	Fc	Fc

Thrushes/Mimic Thrushes

- ☐ Eastern Bluebird*
- ☐ Gray-cheeked Thrush
- ☐ Veery*
- ☐ Swainson's Thrush
- ☐ Hermit Thrush*
- ☐ Wood Thrush*
- ☐ American Robin*
- ☐ Gray Catbird*
- ☐ Northern Mockingbird*
- ☐ Brown Thrasher*

Wood Warblers

- ☐ Blue-winged Warbler
- ☐ Golden-winged Warbler
- ☐ Tennessee Warbler
- ☐ Orange-crowned Warbler
- ☐ Nashville Warbler
- ☐ Northern Parula*
- ☐ Yellow Warbler*
- ☐ Chestnut-sided Warbler*
- ☐ Magnolia Warbler
- ☐ Cape May Warbler
- ☐ Black-throated Blue Warbler *
- ☐ Yellow-rumped Warbler
- ☐ Black-throated Green Warbler*
- ☐ Blackburnian Warbler*?
- ☐ Yellow-throated Warbler
- ☐ Pine Warbler
- ☐ Prairie Warbler
- ☐ Palm Warbler
- ☐ Bay-breasted Warbler
- ☐ Blackpoll Warbler
- ☐ Cerulean Warbler*
- ☐ Black and White Warbler*
- ☐ American Redstart*
- ☐ Prothonoary Warbler
- ☐ Worm-eating Warbler
- ☐ Ovenbird*
- ☐ Northern Waterthrush
- ☐ Louisiana Waterthrush*
- ☐ Kentucky Warbler*
- ☐ Connecticut Warbler
- ☐ Mourning Warbler
- ☐ Common Yellowthroat*
- ☐ Hooded Warbler*

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Uc	Uc		Uc
	Cm	Cm	Cm
Fc	A	A	A
R	Cm	Cm	Cm
Cm	Cm	Cm	Cm
Uc	Cm	Cm	Cm
	R		R
	R	R	Uc
	Uc		Fc
	R		R
	R		R
	Uc	Uc	Uc
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	Fc		Fc
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	Fc	Fc	Fc
	Cm		Cm
	Fc	Uc	Cm
	Uc	Uc	Uc
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	Fc		Uc
	Uc	Uc	Uc
	Fc	Fc	Fc
	Cm	Cm	Cm
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	Uc	Uc	Uc
	Cm	Cm	Cm
	Uc	Uc	Uc
	R		R
	R		R
R	Cm	Cm	Cm
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Wood Warblers (Cont.)

- ☐ Wilson's Warbler
- ☐ Canada Warbler
- ☐ Yellow-breasted Chat*

Tanagers

- ☐ Summer Tanager
- ☐ Scarlet Tanager*
- ☐ Eastern Towhee*

Sparrows

- ☐ Chipping Sparrow*
- ☐ Field Sparrow*
- ☐ Vesper Sparrow
- ☐ Savannah Sparrow?
- ☐ Grasshopper Sparrow*
- ☐ Fox Sparrow
- ☐ Song Sparrow*
- ☐ Lincoln's Sparrow
- ☐ Swamp Sparrow
- ☐ White-throated Sparrow
- ☐ White-crowned Sparrow
- ☐ Dark-eyed Junco*
- ☐ Snow Bunting

Cardinals & Allies

- ☐ Northern Cardinal*
- ☐ Rose-breasted Grosbeak*
- ☐ Blue Grosbeak
- ☐ Indigo Bunting*

Blackbirds & Orioles

- ☐ Bobolink*
- ☐ Red-winged Blackbird*
- ☐ Eastern Meadowlark*
- ☐ Rusty Blackbird
- ☐ Common Grackle*
- ☐ Brown-headed Cowbird*
- ☐ Orchard Oriole
- ☐ Baltimore Oriole*

Finches

- ☐ Purple Finch (I)
- ☐ House Finch*
- ☐ Pine Siskin* (I)
- ☐ American Goldfinch*
- ☐ Evening Grosbeak (I)

Old World Sparrows

- ☐ House Sparrow*

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Cm	Cm	Cm	Cm
R	Cm	R	R
R	Fc	R	Uc
	Uc	Uc	Uc
Uc	Uc		Uc
A	A	A	A
	R		R
Uc	Uc		Uc
Cm	Cm		Cm
Fc	Fc		Fc
Cm	Cm	Cm	Cm
R			R
Cm	Cm	Cm	Cm
	Uc	Fc	Fc
	R	Uc	Uc
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	Fc	Fc	Uc
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SEASONAL CODES

W = Winter (Dec 1 - Mar 15)
Sp = Spring (Mar 16 - May 15)
Su = Summer (May 16 - Jul 31)
F = Fall (Aug 1 - Nov 31)

STATUS CODE

A = Abundant (likely to be seen on any outing in any area)
Cm = Common (likely to be seen in appropriate habitat)
Fc = Fairly common (usually seen at least weekly in proper habitat)
Uc = Uncommon (seen each season but not frequently)
R = Rare or accidental (not seen each year)

SPECIAL NOTATIONS

* = Documented or known breeder
*? = Suspected breeder